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FOR: DEVICE FOR COMPENSATING RELATIVE VERTICAL  
DISPLACEMENTS BETWEEN GROUND SURFACES AND SEALING  
MECHANISMS WITH A FRAME, FOR BUILT-IN STRICTURES,  
AND AUXILIARY DEVICE FOR THE SAME

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It is respectfully requested that receipt of the priority document be acknowledged.

The undersigned also was informed by PCT Special Program Examiner, Diana Olcska, that she will mail a copy of the priority document to the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,  
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